FITZ TO CORBETT.

WILL GIVE HIM FIRST CHANCE IF HE FIGHTS AGAIN.

HAD AN AMICABLE INTERVIEW.

CORBETT ENTREATED FITZSIMMONS TO FIGHT HIM AGAIN.

The New Champion Reiterated His Determination to Fight No More, but Said if He Did Jim Should Have First Call-Sport News.

San Francisco, March 23.-James J. Corbett this afternoon secured his much want-ed interview with Robert Fitzsimmons. The two met in the jobby of the hotel and greeted each other with the utmost cordiality. Corbett entreated Fitzsimmons to give him another chance to retrieve his reputation. Pitzsimmons reiterated his determination never to fight again, but finally promised if he ever re-entered the ring Cor-bett should have the first chance.

Brady has outlined his plans for Cor-bett's future work. Next Saturday night the ex-champion will appear at the Mac-Donough theater in Oakland in a sparring exhibition, the entertainment being round-ed off by members of the Olympic and Reliance Clubs. This show will probably be followed by another in this city, when be followed by another in this city, when Jim will show as a specialist in the middle of an Olympic Club ministrel show. Brady says that the present senson is too far advanced to start a dramatic show on the road, but that he will take Corbett across the continent next week, giving sparring centests in all the cities. Next fail he will put on the "Naval Cadet" once more, and also a three act comedy, probably "Mr. Wilkinson's Widow," or some similar play.

play.

The Australian's future plans are not yet arranged. He is deluged with offers, but so far has accepted none but the Sacramente proposition, which proved a dismal firancial failure last night. He returns here to-day.

THINKS WELL OF KID M'COY. Dan Stuart Says That in Two Years He Will Be Able to Give Fitz

an Argument. Los Angeles, Cal., March 23.-Dan Stuart left last evening for Correnado, where he wil stay a day or two before proceeding to

Speaking of the fight, Stuart said: "Talk as you pleare, you can't find a man any-where at the present time who would have any chance with Fitzsimmons. It would be simply exercise for him to beat Corbett to death in four rounds. Of course Bob did not know this when he faced the Californian on St. Patrick's day. He really had no idea what an easy game he had, and accordingly made a waiting and careful fight.

"No one can lick Fitzsimmons now but

careful fight.

"No one can lick Fitzsimmons now, but wait. In two years I will show you a fighter who will just about take care of the Australian's case. Who is he? Who could he be but Kid McCoy? Just wait until the 'Kid' gets a little heavier and you'll see him take a few kinks out of Mr. Fitz or any other heavyweight in the world."

Ryan-Green Match Off.

Syracuse, N. Y. March 23.—The match between Tommy Ryan, of this city, and George Green (Young Corbett), of San Francisco, which was scheduled for this city on April 21, has been declared off. Green, after offering to meet Ryan at 145 pounds, weigh in at the ringside, for a purse of \$2.500, wired the officers of the Engite Athletic Club, demanding \$2,000, win or lose. The club promptly declared the match off.

Diakka Among the Also Rans.

London, March 23.—J. C. Sullivan's Wink-field's Pride won the Lincolnshire handi-cap to-day. As the horses went to the post Diakka, who was nervous, broke out in a perspiration and gave his attendant some trouble. Diakka was the third favor-ite in the bitting, at 100 to 14 against, but never showed in the first set during the race.

Kansas City Sports Home To-day. The party of Kansas City people that ac-companied Frank Jones in the hotel car President to Carson to see the light will reach home this afternoon over the Rock Island. Since the light the party went to Prisco and other places on the coast.

New Yorkers Going Home.

The special car of "Eddie" Talcott and his party of New Yorkers who went out to see the big fight passed through Kan-sas City yesterday morning on the way home.

WESTERN VS. EASTERN SHOTS. Many of the Cracks Will Meet in Big Match Next Saturday at

Elkwood. Chicago, Ill., March 23.-The Westerners who are to compete in the Grand American Handicap have chaffenged the wingshots of the East for a team race of ten men, each contestant to shoot at fifty first-class each contestant to shoot at fifty first-class birds. An entrance tee of \$50 will be charged for each man, the birds to be paid for by the loser. The match is likely to take place on Saturday next at Elkwood park. The Westerners are Charles Grimm, Clear Lake, Ia.; Dr. Carver, Chicago; Chaincey Powers, Decatur; "Dick" Merrill and Tom Marshall, Milwaukee; Charles Budd, Des Moines, Ia.; J. A. R. Elliott, Kansas City, Mo.; W. Crosby, Chicago; Fred Glibert, Spirit Lake, Ia., and Dr. Willamson, Milwaukee, Wis.

WINNERS AT NEW ORLEANS. Sly Fox Was an Easy Winner of the Lightning Stakes for 2-

Yenr-Olds. New Orleans, La., March 23,-Weather fine: track slow. Summaries: First race-Selling; six furlongs, Overella, 108 (Knapp), 5 to 2, won; Oily Gamin, 97 (A. Barrett), 11 to 5, second; Loyal Prince, 103 (Caywood), 8 to 1, third. Time, 97 (A. Barrett), Il to 5, second; Loyal Prince, 162 (Caywood), 8 to 1, third. Time. 1:19½. Whiff. Volma, Old Dominlon, Will Elliott, K. C., and Elemor Mc also ran. Olly Gamin, 4 to 5, place.

Second race—Selling; seven furlongs. Senator Penrose, 38 (A. Barrett), 9 to 5, won; Charlie Christy, 101 (Beauchamp), 15 to 1, second; Prince Proverh, 55 (T. Burns), even, third. Time, 1:24½. Ilia. Sackville and Gracin also ran. Charlie Christy, 4 to 1, place. Third race—Selling; one and one-quarter miles. Domingo, 114 (Scherrer), 3 to 1, won; Little Tom, 94 (Songer), 8 to 1, second; Otho, 193 (3). Hill), 5 to 2, third. Time, 2:19½, 1xion, Newhouse, Al Miles, Martha Smith, Linnette and Henry Owsley also ran. Little Tom, 3 to 1, place.

Fourth race—Lightning stakes, \$1,000; for 2-year-olds; five furlongs. Sly Fox, 165 (Caywood), 7 to 5, won; Van Antwerp, 110 (Caywood), 8 to 1, third. Time, 1:04, Percy F. Nemo and Bonnie Nell also ran. Van Antwerp, 4 to 5, place.

Fifth race—Selling; six furlongs. Sauterne, 103 (Caywood), 7 to 5, won; Rouble, 106 (L. Soden), 12 to 1, second; Stanza, 101 (T. Burns), 10 to 1, third. Time, 1:18½.

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Waldine, May Ashley, Little Matt, If and Tagliona also ran. Rouble, 4 to 1. place. Slxth race—Selling; six furiongs. Jim Hogg, 194 (Scherrer), even, won; Belle of Fordham, 25 (Songer), 12 to 1, second; Sky Blue, 27 (T. Powers), 4 to 1, third. Time, 1:19, Zaldivar, Timberland, Flora Ballard, Tom Quirk, Montell, Dr. France and Altadena also ran. Belle of Fordham, 4 to 1, place.

place.
Entries for to-morrow:
First race—Seven furlongs. Belle of Killarney, 92: Florence Colville, 97: Apostrophe, 97: Princess Bonnie, 102: Senator Penrose, 104: Rewarder, Gomez, 107: Lizzle Mack. Nannine Lord, 109.
Second race—One-half mile. Lillian Russell, Floss, 100: Lady Hanley, Kaiserine, 102: Liecester, Colonel Rowels, 106: Shine, 110.

Third race-One mile and a furlong; wel Third race—One mife and a furlong; welterweight handicap. Mrs. Bradshaw, 125; Incommode, 126; Partner, 127; Carroll Donder, 130; Granada, Plutus, 131; Will Elliott, 135; Brakeman, 139; Booze, 140.

Fourth race—One mile; handicap. Pete Kitchen, 90; Prince of India, 94; Ray H. 15; Nannie L.'s Sister, 95; Hurns, 98; Paul Pry, 101; Mermaid, Ben Waddell, 102; Marquise, 103; Sharon, 107; Irish Lady, 109; Jake Zimmerman, 115.

Fifth race—One mile. Mauritius, Mitt Boykin, 97; Rolandis, The Parrot-mouthed, Squire Gillam, 102; Cadillac, Jim Conway, 104; Nobilis, Lord Fairfax, 107.

Sixth race—Seven furlongs; selling, Victoress, 106; Tim Irven, Mike Kelly, 102; Gluck, 103; Soiritualist, Zaldivar, 105; Pert, Tom Quirk, 105.

SAN FRANCISCO WINNERS. Races Were of a Poor Class and Furnished the Usual Number

of Surprises. San Francisco, March 23.-Weather at Ingleside fine; track good. Summaries: First race—Three and one-half furlongs. Outlay won; Recreation, second; The Pro-fessor, third. Time, 0:44%. Second race—Selling; six furlongs. Miss

Ross won; Cappy, second; Manchester, third. Time, 1:15½. Third race—One mile. Buckwa won; Sai-vable, second; Lincoln II., third. Time,

Third race—One mile. Buckwa won; Salvable, second; Lincoln II., third. Time, 1:41½.

Fourth race—Selling; six furlongs; Russell won; Wyoming, second; Tempestuous, third. Time, 1:15½.

Fifth race—Selling; one mile and a quarter. Morte Fonse won; Judge Denny, second; Don Clarencio, third. Time, 2:10½.

Sixth race—Selling; one mile. The Roman won; Damien, second; Cabrillo, third. Time, 1:42½.

Seventh race—Six furlongs. Scarf Pin won; Etta H., second; Midnight, third. Time; 1:15½.

Entries for to-morrow:
First race—Six furlongs. Bonnie Doubt, 101; Riot, 102; Sea Spray, 105; Veva, 101; Imp. Disparity, 104; The Ironmaster, 106; Treachery, 101; Examiner, Detective (by Comet), 106; Franco,103; Dennis,105; Huntsman, 108; Edgemont, 103; Perhaps, 103; Brametta, 101; Castanet, 101; McFarlane, 106; Don Plo Pico, 102.

Second race—Selling; six furlongs. Appiause, 104; Yemen, 106; Potentate, 109; Sweet William, 95; California, 104; Preston, 111; Fly, 106; Midlo, 103.

Third race—Mile; handicap. Installator, 104; Flashlight, 102; Salvation, 102; Lincoln II., 99; Greyhurst, 35; Gutta Percha, 35; Lobengula, 36.

Fourth race—Mile and a sixteenth: sell-

Lobengula, 95.
Fourth race—Mile and a sixteenth; selling. Elmer F., 112; Doyle, 105; McLight 112; Leonville, 109; Atticus, 100; Foremost, 109; Adolph Spreckels, 111; Harold Lind 109: Adolph Spreckels, 111; Harold Lindsay, 94.

Fifth race—Mile and a quarter. Brilliant, 125; Bed Will, 125; St. Apollo, 154; Zaragosa, 134; Hyman, 151; Herman, 125; Bedford, 125; Sixth race—Mile and a sixteenth; selling, Joe Terry, 108; Babe Murphy, 107; Hazard, 105; Mamie Scott, 107; Fortuna, 107; Altamax, 106; Frank Jaubert, 108; Ray Del Tierra, 97.

Seventh race—Six furlongs. Sallie Clicquot, 101; Bellicoso, 116; Caesarian, 109; Lady Diamond, 194; Mulberry, 109; Peril, 111; Logan, 109; Derfargilia, 194; Amelia Fonso, 101; Candor, 194; Gold Bug, 106; Scimitar, 106; Alvero, 103; Manchester, 109; Little Scot, 109; Emma D., 104; Encino, 106.

PASTIME GUN CLUB SHOOTS Four of the Members Shot Out Their Scores for February and

March. Four of the members of the Pastime Gun Club yesterday shot their medal scores for both February and march, J. L. Beiderman making the high score:

BLANFORD AND COLEMAN HERE Two More Members of the Blues Arrived Yesterday-Klusman Is on Deck.

Pitcher Coleman, the Missouri phenom. and Catcher Frank Blanford were the additions to the baseball colony yesterday The weather was unfit for practice, but the boys hope to be able to get at it again to Coleman is a fine looking young fellow and creates the impression that he has low and creates the impression that he has
the stuff in him for a pitcher. Blanford is
in fine condition and will undoubtedly be a
valuable man for the team this season.
Manager William Klusman, of the St.
Joseph team, also reached Kansan City
yesterday. He thinks the St. Joseph ag
gregation will be strong enough to keep
the other Western Association teams hustiling from the start. After a visit to St.
Joseph Klusman will come back here to get
the team in shape for the opening games
with the Blues on Saturday and Sunday.

Rusic Case Argued Yesterday.

Trenton, N. J., March 23,-The Rusie case ame up in the United States circuit court Trenton, N. J., March 23.—The Rusic case came up in the United States circuit court this afternoon. The argument was purely technical and did not enter into the merits of the dispute between Rusic and the New York club, nor did it have any bearing upon the reserve rule.

At the conclusion of the argument, Judge Acheson reserved his decision.

DICK BLUE MAY MOVE.

Talk of His Locating at Leavenworth. to Become an Assirant for First District Congressional Honors.

Colonel Richard W. Blue, formerly con gressman-at-large from Kansas, was at the Union depot last evening for a few hours. He was on his way to Leavenworth on a business trip, as he explained it. The rumor that accompanied him is to the effect that he has decided to move to the effect that he has decided to move to Leavenworth and become an aspirant for congressional honors in the First district. This is especially interesting in connection with the fact that under the new arrangement both Congressmen Curtis and Broderick are in the same district, and Charlie Lobdell is also now a resident of the district and is credited with having congressional designs. With Leavenworth and Shawnee counties in the same district there exist cyclonic conditions but when Lobdell and Blue are added to the force then there will be a lively situation politically.

BADLY DEMORALIZED.

PASSENGER RATES BEING MANIPU-LATED IN KANSAS CITY.

SCALPERS REAP A BIG HARVEST

ROADS WANT CONGRESS TO SAVE THEN PROM THE TEMPTER.

Hegality of Traffic Associations Will Be Far Reaching in Its Effects-Kansas Railway Assessors Want to Junket-Railway News.

Passenger rates are badly demoralized at Kansas City. Large blocks of tickets have been placed in the hands of the brokers here and exchange orders have been sold, by the manipulation of which rates in all directions have been cut. The chairman of the Western Passenger Association has made an investigation of the situation and has found it so bad that he has called a special meeting of the interested lines to be held at Chicago to-day to consider it. Furthermore, he has announced his intention, should that meeting not take steps to put things to rights, to order an open reduction in tariff rates to the amount of the cuts that have been made, so as to put all lines upon a perfect equality.

At a recent meeting of the Kansas City-St. Louis and Kansas City-Chicago lines, the chairman was authorized to make such open reductions, if, in his judgment, the conditions might warrant. Every representative, who had been manipulating the rates, solemnly promised to repent and orever after be good. A few days later the Alton, as an earnest of its effort to be good, transacted a little St. Louis business through Ticket Broker McCrary, and was caught and convicted in the local passenger association. Since that time the demoralization has increased. The local pas-senger association has been unable to elect a secretary to succeed C. H. Speers, whose resignation occurred about the time of the St. Louis meeting. The blame for non-agreement has been shifted to the other fellow by each of the lines, but it has been trongly intimated that about half the lines lesired to delay it, to give them a clearer field for demoralizing practices.

KANSAS RAILROAD ASSESSORS. Some of the Members Want to Make Their Inspection Tour a Junket-

ing Trip for Pleasure. Topeka, Kas., March 23.-(Special.) The state board of railroad assessors expect to start out next Monday on a tour of in-spection of the railways of Kansas for taxation purposes. Some of the members are trying to arrange it so that it will be a regular pleasure trip. They want the companies to permit them to take along their wives and children, like the Popu

their wives and children, like the Populists did four years ago. At that time the crowd went out to Denver, down to Manitou and had a jovial time at the expense of the railroads.

Attorney General Boyle is opposed to making it a junketing trip this time and he will not take his family along, no matter what the other members do. He says that partaking of the hospitality of the railroads to the extent contemplated would place the Populist state officials under obligations to the roads and that in the long run the great common masses would be place the Populist state officials under ob-ligations to the roads and that in the long run the great common masses would be the losers. Of course, the railroads are not anxious to haul the members and their entire families around over the state in a Pullman car, feedling them terrapin and the like, but if a request is made, they would consider it the same as a demand and will comply.

SAVE THEM FROM THEMSELVES

With Passenger Pools Illegal, Roads Cannot Trust Each Other to Not

Chicago, March 23.-Strenuous efforts are to be made by the railroads to get the anti-scalpers' bill through at the present special session of congress. The intention had been to allow it to go over till the next regular session, but the decision of the supreme court in the Trans-Missouri Freight Association case has caused a change of plans in this respect. Without any enforceable agreements in regard to the maintenance of rates and with the scalpers carrying on their business uninterrupted with it is feared that wholesale demoralization will ensue. The only way to check it, railway officials claim, is to have a bill passed taking from the scalper the right to do business. Notwithstanding Senator Cullom's decision to do nothing at the present session, this new phase of the question will be put before him and he will be pressed to take up the bill and push it to an early passage. session of congress. The intention had been

SWEEPING IN EFFECT.

Supreme Court Decision Will Be Followed by Dissolution of All Traffic Associations. Chicago, March 23.-The impression

valled very generally among railroad offi-cials here to-day that the supreme court decision in the Trans-Missouri Freight Association case would be followed by the spredy dissolution of all the traffic associations. In face of that decision it is plain that none of them can be legally maintained. A large number of roads, members of nearly all the associations, are now in the hands of receivers and under the administration of the subordinate courts. It is clear that they cannot be allowed to retain such illegal membership, and their withdrawal will of itself bring about the dissclution of the associations. Their competitors, it is thought cannot afford to surround themselves with restrictions to which they are not subject, even if they cared to openly defy the law, which it is not believed many of them will do. decision in the Trans-Missouri Freight A.

Behind in Percentages.

ne of the roads has yet announced a reduction in corn rates to Chicago to mee the 2.1 cent cut of the Rock Island. Al though authority has been granted to the other roads by the acting chairman of the board of administration to make this rate, is considered improbable that it will be one. The Rock Island is said to have been sehind in its percentage under the ton-age pool, and to have made the cut rate

Pittsburg & Gulf Rates

W. W. Avery, rate clerk of the Pittsburg & Gulf, returned yesterday from the St. Louis rate sheet meeting. The "Katy" has withdrawn its objection to the Pittsburg & Gulf short line rates, and new routes being published in the joint rate sheet, and Chairman Kent has authorized Compiler Bowes to recompile the new Kansas City passenger rate sheet showing the new rates. The Eastern Kansas and Western Missouri sheet will be recompiled at once.

Evansville & Richmond Sold. Washington, Ind., March 22.—The Evans-ville & Richmond railroad was sold in this city this morning under forcelosure. The sale was conducted by Sheriff J. G. Lem-ing at the court house doors. The Farm-ers' Loan & Trust Company, of this city, war the only bidder. The purchasers paid \$1,412,712.50.

B. N. Austin, assistant general passen-ger agent of the Northern Pacific, head-quarters St. Paul, was in Kansas City Colonel E. S. Jewett, passenger and tick

Colonel E. S. Jewett. passenger and ticket agent of the Missouri Pacific, who has been confined to his home for the past few days, is much improved and is expected to be at his office to-day.

Gross earnings of the Baltimore & Ohio Southwestern road for the month of January were \$172.99, against \$489.816 for the same month last year; decrease, \$17,324. Net earnings were \$113.990, against \$129.655 for the same month last year; decrease, \$8,-995.

earnings were \$113,080, against \$120,055 for the same month last year, decrease, \$5,595.

George H. Foote, of the Milwaukee, acting secretary of the Local Passenger Association, left last night for Chicago, where he will attend to-day's meeting of the general passenger agents of Kansas cverything at his head."

Recriberaty.

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City-St. Louis and Kansas City-Chicago

George M. Sargent, general freight and George M. Sargent, general freight and persenger agent of the Santa Fe. Prescott & Phoenix, with headquarters at Prescott, passed through Kansas City yesteiday en route to Chicago. Mr. Sargent was formerly commercial agent of the Santa Fe in this city.

H. G. Clark, general superintendent of the Missouri Pacific, arrived in Kansas City from Atchison en route to St. Louis, in his private car, last evening. C. M. Rathbura, superintendent of the road, with headquarters at Atchison, and Charles E. headquarters at Atchison, and Charles Styles, city passenger agent at Atchiso accompanied the general superintendent

CAUSE OF SOCIAL UNREST.

DR. GREGORY LAYS IT ON THE ENOR-MOUS GROWTH OF CITIES.

Ninety-seven Years Ago One Man in Thirty Lived in Cities of Over 10,000 Inhabitants-Present Ratio, One in Three.

When Dr. John M. Gregory had finished his lecture on "Municipal Problems" at the first Congregational church last night, it was suggested by a member of the Commercial Club that the lecture be repeated before that club in the near future. Another person seemed to voice the sentiment of all when he said that he regretted that each opponent to the public park plan had not been in hearing of Dr. Gregory's voice during his lecture.

The lecture last night closed a series of five given by the doctor on economic ques-tions of the day before the Commonwealth Club at the First Congregational church. Each lecture has been well attended. Dr. Gregory has spent years studying the social problems in this country and in Europe and he deals simply with well known facts and figures, which he presents in such clear, strong terms that no one can

doubt their significance. The enormous growth of cities in the modern times he considered one of the prime causes of the general social unrest of the present time. Statistics show that in 1890 only one man in thirty resided in cities of over 10,000 inhabitants, while now one out of three lives in the great cities. Then there was only one city in the world that had over 1,000,000 inhabitants—London but now be said there are four in this -but now, he said, there are four in this country and several in Europe, London having, according to the recent census, 5,000,000 inhabitants.

having, according to the recent census, 5,000,000 inhabitants.

Wealth, the speaker said, flows to the cities as certainly as water does to the sea. Manufacturers are steadily leaving the country milidams and falls for the centers of traffic and population, where steam and electricity can be procured at less cost and railway facilities are greatest. If the tide of humanity flows into the cities in the same proportion that it has during the past few years, instead of there being one-third living in the cities, the next quarter of a century will find over half of the inhabitants of this country in the great centers of population.

The cities impose the styles of slothing upon the inhabitants of the country, also manners, customs, and even dictate to a large extent the thought of the country inhabitant. Socialism, both revolutionary and evolutionary, was born in great cities, where the struggle for existence is greatest. With the cities as the originators of great movements, the battle for law and order, truth and greatness, must be first wor, in the cities. He said that he had found thousands of persons in each great city in the country who are agitating the question of reform, but are going about it

won. in the cities. He said that he had found thousands of persons in each great city in the country who are agitating the question of reform, but are going about it in the wrong way.

There is no problem in municipal government, he said, which is attracting more attention than the proper construction of houses for the accommodation of the masses of the people. The first step to be taken is to get good, clean, airy tenement houses in the place of the filthy, packed and rotten houses from which come the crime and vices that ruin a city and breed plagues which sweep every city which has any great per cent of its inhabitants crowded into such buildings. He said the citizens pay taxes to support the courts and police and then only keep the evil within bounds. He advocated the condemnation of all such places as a means to lower taxes.

He spoke at length on the sanitation of cities and the fact that the board of health which are now being made up of the best physicians, can prevent the plagues and epidemics which formerly devastated the world. One of the greatest problems of the future, he said, would be the question of securing pure water in large enough quantities to supply the demands. He said that for all purposes it requires from five to ten gallons of water a day per capita. He gave a description of the vast amounts of money spent by the large cities of Europe in order

for all purposes it requires from five to ten gallons of water a day per capita. He gave a description of the vast amounts of money spent by the large citles of Europe in order to procure pure water. Birmingham, Eng., has its water supply eighty-two miles away in the mountains of Wales.

Light and heat he also considered problems of great consequence in the control of the municipal affairs. Less than a century ago there were scarcely any street lamps to be found in the world, while now nearly every city is well lighted. He said that each electric light was as good as a poleeman and when the city is kept well lighted its crime will deminish greatly. He spoke of the cost of gas in the great cities of the world. In Washington, he said, less than one-half of the people who rent their houses use gas as fuel because it costs \$1.25 a thousand feet. He said that in Chasgow gas costs only to cents a thousand feet and that the company pays big dividends.

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Dr. Gregory said that man could not be Dr. Gregory said that man could not be happy or content with a progressive civilization which provides nothing for his amusement. He will be amused if he has to go to saloons and places of vice. In most eloquent terms and with great emphasis he then told by figures how crime had been lessened in the great cities of Europe by the building of public parks and places of amusement for the poor. He said that it was still within the memory of a young man that there were no parks in any of the large cities. Already in Europe over \$100,000,000 has been spent for parks in the crowded sections of the cities. Public baths, parks, gardens and libraries, where the rich and the poor can have equal rights were the things to be provided if the municipal problem would be successfully solved.

successfully solved.
"That is a noble maxim of yours,"
he said, "and your city fathers should see he said, "and your city fathers should see to it that you do 'make Kansas City a good place to live in.' With Kansas City on the West and St. Louis on the East, you will sway the great state of Mis-souri either for good or evil, and you are souri either for good of evil, and you are now on the right track to swing it into line for prosperity in its broad sense."

Dr. Gregory told of the vast good for the laboring man and his family the Postal savings banks of Europe are doing. He explained its workings in detail and advocated that the people insist on having such a system in this country in order than the presset to save its money. get the masses to save its money.

More Bulletins.

Lieutenant-"Another glorious victory, your excellency?"
General Weyler—"Yes?"
Lieutenant—"One of the regiments this morning captured a messenger boy carrying a package of Cuba Libre postage stamps."
General Weyler—"Well?"

stamps."
General Weyler--"Well?"
Lientenant--"They couldn't lick the mes-enger boy but they licked the stamps." More Money in It.

From London Punch. Wigmore (to Twigmore, whom he hasn't seen for years)—"By Jove! you are looking well, old chap! Gone in for matrimony?" Twigmore—"No, my boy; better than that -patrimony.

Reciprocity.

JACOB MALMGREN A SUICIDE.

MISSING KANSAS SHERIFF ENDS HIS LIFE WITH A BULLET.

Dend Body Found in a Box Car in Tond-a-Loup, With a Revolver Tightly Gripped in the Right Hand.

The body of Jacob Malmgren, sheriff of Saline county, Kas., who mysteriously disappeared from his home at Salina last Friday, was found in a Kansas City, Fort Scott & Memphis railroad box car shortly after 10 o'clock yesterday morning by some employes of the Rex Milling Company in Toad-a-Loup. The body was still warm. life having been extinct only a few minutes. The dead sheriff was lying on the floor of the car on his back, his head resting in a pool of his own blood which had



JACOB MALMGREN.

pozed from a bullet hole in his right tem

The weapon used was a 38-caliber Rich ard & Harrington make and was tightly grasped in the dead man's hand. To the eft of the body lay a copy of yesterday morning's Journal, which contained an account of his disappearance from his Salina home and his alleged shortage. He had written a letter to his wife, intimating his intention of seif-destruction, this letter being incorporated in the story of his

his intention of self-destruction, this letter being incorporated in the story of his unsappearance.

It is the theory of the police that Malmgren entered the car while it was standing in the Fort Scott yards. At about 19 o'clock this car, with a number of others, was removed from the yards to the Rex mill preparatory to being loaded. When an employe at the mill opened the door of the car, in which the body lay, a horrible sight met his gaze. Word was immediately telephoned to police station No. 3, Kansas City, Kas., reporting the discovery. Acting Coroner Thompson ordered the body removed to Daniel Bros.' morgue, on Kansas avenue, where the clothing of the dead man was searched. In a little wallet found in the inside pocket of his coat were four annual railroad passes bearing the name of Jacob Malmgren, sheriff of Salina county. This removed all doubt as to the man's identity. The passes were good over the Rock Island. Santa Fe, Missouri Pacific and Union Pacific railways. He left no message other than the letter published in The Journal yesterday, which was sent to his wife.

H. Funk and James Deidman, residents of Salina, and old-time friends of the deceased, arrived in the city yesterday afternoon and identified the remains. A delegation from Salina will arrive to-day and accompany the body home.

In his letter Malmgren Intimated that his friends had "gone back" on him and that nothing was left for him but death. An investigation of Malmgren's accounts disclosed a shortage of over \$1,000. He had been drinking hard of late.

Salina, Kas., March 23.—(Special.) Jacob Malmgren, who disappeared from this city ast Friday, and has been found in Kansas City, was a native of Sweden. He Kansas City, was a native of Sweden. He came to America when a young man and has lived in Kansas for twenty-five years. He was employed by the Union Pacific in the '70s and later settled on a farm at Falun, about eignteen miles southwest of this city. In 1895 he was nominated and elected by the Populists to the office of sheriff of Saline county. Some years ago he drank considerably, but reformed, and up to the time of his election as sheriff he had led a sober, industrious life. He then began to drink again and it led to to-day's tragedy. Six months ago his bondsmen began to take steps to remove to-day's tragedy. Six months ago his bondsmen began to take steps to remove him from office, but he made them promises to stop drinking and they allowed him to remain. For a few weeks he kept sober, but the reform was temporary. He lost his farm some time ago under a foreclosure and this also worried him. Drink and his financial troubles worried him until he lost his mind and imagined his friends had turned against him. It was at first thought that he was over \$1,000 short in his accounts, but it may prove to be not so much as that. He had used the money to liquidate personal debts, and but part of this was public money. He leaves a wife and family.

WAS ROBBED AT DUSK.

E. P. Holly, a Connecticut Traveling Man, Says He Was Assailed by Three Bold Highwaymen.

According to a report made to the police department last Saturday morning. Holly, of Hartford, Conn., was held up by three men and robbed of \$55 Friday evening at 7 o'clock at Tenth and Baltimore ave-

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The police have since that time bean trying to locate the trio that did the work. They are proceeding on the theory that the robbers were sleek crooks who had been to the light at Carson and were operating on their way East. They have been umable to get the slightest clue from the description of the men furnished by Mr. Holly and have practically abandoned the search.

Mr. Holly travels for one of the large manufacturing establishments of Hartford and was in the city on a business trip. He stopped at the Coates House and was on his way to that place for dinner when he was robbed. According to the story as he told the police and others to whom he related his experience, he was walking leisurely along Tenth street. It was barely dark. He met two men and at the same time another came up from the side street. One of the men struck him a blow in the temple, stunning him, and the others grabbed him of his purse. They did not take his watch nor the fine ring he wore. When they released him they advised him to skip hurriedly on, and as there were three against him he obeyed.

He said nothing about the robbery at the hotel and went to the show that evening. The next morning early one of the bell boys found an empty purse bearing the name of E. P. Holly lying on the floor inside the side entrance to the hotel. It was turned over to the night clerk and placed in Mr. Holly's box, and when it was returned to him the story of how he lost it came out. He at first declared he would not complain to the police, as he did not care to have it known he was robbed and dreaded the notoriety the affair would give him, but he was finally presuaded to report it, which he did, but gave a fictitious name to the police when the matter was reported to Detective Booher, who was detailed on the case.

He described his assailants as well dressed men. One was portly and had the appearance of a well-to-do business man, the other was tall and splendidly dresse

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Organized by the Jewish Young Men's Association-George Washington" Last Night.

The members of the Jewish Young Men's Association met in their rooms in the Ly-ceum building last night and formed on American Historical Circle.

Mr. Edwin F. Weil read an able paper

on "George Washington and His Time," which was followed by an informal discussion.

Next Tuesday evening, March 30, the subject will be "Alexander Hamilton," and the discussion will be led by Mr. Arthur Albright.

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NEILL, OF ARKANSAS.

Another U. S. Congressman Indorses Paine's Celery Compound.



sands of hearty testimonials to the wonderful curative powers of Paine's celery compound that have been received by Wells, Richardson & Co.-among the thousands of grateful letters received from every state and town in the country, there have come no less than six hearty indorsements from members of the national house of representatives.

All were willing that their experience should be published, believing rightly that they might thus do good to others.

In these columns have already been published the letters received from Congressmen Meredith, Bell, Grout and Powers. Now comes a letter from Congressman Robert Neill, of Arkansas, as follows:

"My home is at Batesville, Ark. During the last spring and summer my eldest daughter, then 17 years of age, was in very poor health, suffering from general debility, nervous prostration and frequent slight fevers. She had the best medical attention, but apparently with little benefit. In the latter part of September last, while still feeble, she began the use of Paine's celery compound, and im-

Withir the past year, among the thou-sproved in health continuously. In three in perfect health. I am bound to think the remedy is an excellent one, and do not hesi-tate to recommend it to the suffering." To postpone at such a vital time as this regulating the nerves and purifying the

blood is a serious mistake. Men and women distressed by nervous troubles or the ef-fects of impure blood cannot afford now to lose a day before taking advantage of Paine's celery compound. In order to avoid disappointment accept

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ATTORNEY'S SUDDEN DEATH

BODY OF JOHN E. SHIPMAN FOUND IN REAR OF A SALOON.

Supposed to Have Succumbed to Heart Disease-Had Been on a Protracted Drunk-Prominent Wichita Boom Days.

John E. Shipman, a member of the law firm of Kimbrell & Shipman, with offices in the Long building, was found dead in a room in the rear of Logan's saloon, at Seventh and Broadway, shortly after midnight last night. Shipman had passed through the saloon a few minutes before, apparently in good health, although under the influthe bar and talked with several bystanders. Nothing was found to indicate he had committed suicide, and death is believed to have resulted from heart disease.

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yesterday afternoon, and ate supper with
the proprietor. In the evening he left, and
did not return until about 12 o'clock. He
was about 49 years of age, stood well in his
profession, and commanded general respect,
but was addicted to periodical spells of
drunkenness.

Shipman went to Wichita from Ohio during the boom days of the Kansas town,
and became prominent in real estate speculations. After the boom he engaged in
the insurance business and practiced law,
gaining a good local reputation in the latter calling. About six weeks ago he came
to Kansas City and formed a partnership
with J. B. Kimbrell. His wife and family
reside at Wichita. A few days ago Shipman heard that his wife was ill, and brooded over it. Saturday he began drinking,
and had not visited any of his usual haunts
since.

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DEATHS AND FUNERALS.

Herman Ribbing, brother of Albert Ribbing, who died at the city hospital from the effect of injuries received by falling down the areaway of the Bunker building, arrived in this city yesterday from Weilington, Kas., and took charge of the body. The funeral will take place from Stewart's undertaking rooms this morning at 11 o'clock and burial will be in Union cemetery.

Elizabeth Brusie, aged 89 years, a resident of Kansas City for the past tenments, died yesterday at her home, 1825 Garfield avenue, of old age. The body will be sent to Chicago, for burial, this afternoon.

Hannah J. Ellis, aged 50, died yesterday at her home, 1012 Virginia avenue. Burial will be in Elmwood cemetery this morning.

AN EX-JUDGE SEEKS CHARITY. Abraham Marks, Who Wore the Ermine in the Days of Sam Houston, in Dire Straits.

From a judge's bench to the charity ward of the city hospital is a gamut of experience run by few unfortunate men. But ence run by few unfortunate men. But such has been the lot of an old man who applied for admission to the city hospital yesterday. He was very tall, and his slender frame was exaggerated in height by a high silk hat, which partook of the characteristics of its wearer and bore evidence of the vicissitudes through which both had passed. A thin, white and straggling beard covered the old man's chin. In general appearance he looked what John Sherman would be if he had passed through similar experiences.

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The old man was Abraham Marks, who said he was SI years of age, and was admitted to the New York bar in 1825, sixty-two years ago. He drifted South, and had been a judge in Louislana and a probate judge in San Antonio in the days of brave Sam Houston. He had made two fortunes, and lost them both through speculation. He has two sons, one a kalsominer and the other a cook in a restaurant in Kansas City. Both had been educated for the bar. One of the sons, according to the father, could support him, but will not, and the other is willing, but unable. Between the two the old man, in the wintertime of life, after a long and busy career, is forced to seek public aid. He will be sent to the city hospital temporarily.

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SIX FEET FROM DANGER.

Missouri River Slowly Rising, With the Ice and Rains of the North Yet to Hear From.

The Missouri river at Kansas City rose 2.8 feet in the twenty-four hours proceding yesterday's gauge reading, standing at 11.9 feet, or 6.1 below the danger line. It continued to rise during the day, and the weather observer expects a continued rise for the next two or three days. He does not believe the danger line will be passed, but thinks the crest of the flood will be carried away with a further rise of four or five feet. At St. Joseph and Plattsmouth rises of over 2 feet were reported, and at St. Joseph the water is very close to the danger line, with a likelihood of having passed it by this morning. No reading was taken of the Kaw river yesterday, but there is no probability of damage from the high water at its mouth, as it is caused by backwater and there is no current. Fair and warmer weather is predicted for to-day.

Mrs. Winslow's SOOTHING SYRUP for children teething, softens the gums, reduces inflammation, allays pains, cures wind colic 25ca bottle

Hired Man Untrue to His Trust. Mrs. Ella Rankin, of 1663 East Eighth street, reported to the police yesterday that a hired man, to whom she gave \$5 to make some small purchases for her, failed to come back with the change. His name is unknown, but the police have his description. He has worked in the Rankin neighborhood for several weeks.

Death of Mrs. Ellis.

Mrs. Hannah J. Ellis. mother of Mr. Frank Ellis employed by the Kansas City Gas Company, died at her residence, 1012 Virginia avenue, yesterday morning at 6 o'clock. The funeral will take place from Trinity Episcopal church to-day at 10 o'clock at m., Rev. Robert Tailbot officiating. Interment in Elmwood cemetery.

"The Best Pill I ever used" is the frequent remark of purchasers of Carter's Little Liver Pills. When you try them you will say the same.

Son of Little Italy Fined. Tony Garrigut was fined \$1 in police court yesterday for spitting on the floor. Fifty-six Hours to Los Angeles.

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